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11. [] LIAISON Chuck Meissner, of the Minority staff of the ~~Senate Foreign Relations Committee~~, and John Childers, Minority Staff, Senate Government Operations Committee, visited the Agency to meet with Messrs. John Warner, OGC, [] Walter Elder, Review Staff, [], of this office, and myself, to discuss the upcoming hearings of the Government Operations Committee on various legislative proposals for congressional oversight of the Agency. Both men are working for Senator Charles Percy, Ranking Minority Member of the Government Operations Committee. (See [] Memo for the Record.)

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12. [] LIAISON Chuck Snodgrass, House Appropriations Committee staff, called and said that the Committee staff had presented to Chairman George Mahon a letter addressed to the Director asking that the Agency assist in the establishment of a secure vault area which would meet Agency requirements for the storage of sensitive material in the House side of the Capitol. He said they are desirous of having a completely secure facility, including the necessary technical devices, secure doors, and secure telephones. He said the matter has been put in the hands of Keith Mainland, of the Committee staff, and if Mr. Mahon decides to sign the letter, he would like us to proceed on the matter as quickly as possible. They would like to have the facility completed by 1 February. I told him I would take this up with the Director at the earliest opportunity.

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13. [] LIAISON Bill Young, in the office of Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R.I.), called and said the Senator wanted to know the arrangements for the funeral of [] I told him the arrangements were not firm yet but I would let him know as soon as they were. He gave his home phone number and asked that I call him at home if things firmed up on Friday.

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1. [] CONSTITUENT Called [] personal friend of Christina Welch, wife of the late Dick Welch, Chief of Station, Athens, Greece, to tell him that the funeral arrangements were tentatively scheduled for Friday, 2 January but because of Mrs. Welch's illness, it would not likely take place until 5 or 6 January. I said I would leave his phone number with [] and give him [] phone number as soon as we get one.

Called [] Personnel, and asked him to pass [] name and number to [] who was at the moment in the building.

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2. [] INTEL BRIEFING Accompanied [] [] OGI, to brief [] Edward Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee and Clark McFadden, Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, on Israel's military and economic situation. McFadden had been asked by Senator John Stennis (D., Miss.) to visit Israel to examine the impact of U. S. military and economic assistance and to get a firsthand view of the Sinai Agreement. [] covered the military situation and followed the text of the DCI's briefing to the House International Relations Committee. The economic part indicated that while Israel's economy was austere, the situation remained good. Braswell thought the DCI's briefing should be given to the Senate Armed Services Committee.

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3. [] ADMINISTRATIVE-DELIVERY Dropped off letters to the offices of the President of the Senate, Mr. Nelson A. Rockefeller (R., N. Y.) and Speaker of the House, Mr. Carl Albert, (D., Okla.), pertaining to security of Agency information in the Congress.

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4. [] LIAISON Called Charles Meissner, staff of Senate Foreign Relations Multinational Corporations Subcommittee, and confirmed 0945 hours, Wednesday, 31 December 1975, for a meeting with Mr. Meissner at the Agency.

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